



DELAWARE HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES

Division of Public Health

Low-Income Water Assistance Program (LIHWAP) Application

What is this new program?

The Delaware Division of Public Health (DPH) Low-Income Household Water Assistance Program (LIHWAP), is a part of a new federally funded American Rescue Plan program that provides assistance to eligible households to pay water and wastewater bills. Depending on your income and specific needs, you may be qualified for available funding to assistance with:

Reconnection of Household Water Services

If your household water services have been disconnected because of past due water bills, funds may be available to pay the balance including fees to reconnect water services.

Prevent Disconnection of Household Water Services

If you received a notice that water services will be disconnected due to a past due balance and you cannot afford to pay, funds may be available to pay all or part of your water bill.

Help Reduce Current Household Water Bills

If you are unable to afford your current water bills and meet other household needs, you may qualify for temporary assistance to pay some or all of your current bill.

Who is this program for?

Anyone who meets income qualifications as described herein and who is: in danger of immediate disconnection, attempting to prevent disconnection, and, if funds allow, behind on current water bills may apply.

For more information or for help to complete this application, call or email:

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